

## 2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

### District 69, Michigan

**Number of farms:** 92

**Land in farms:** 11,007 acres

**Average size of farm:** 120 acres

**Irrigated Land:** 22 acres

**Total number of Farm Operators:** 144

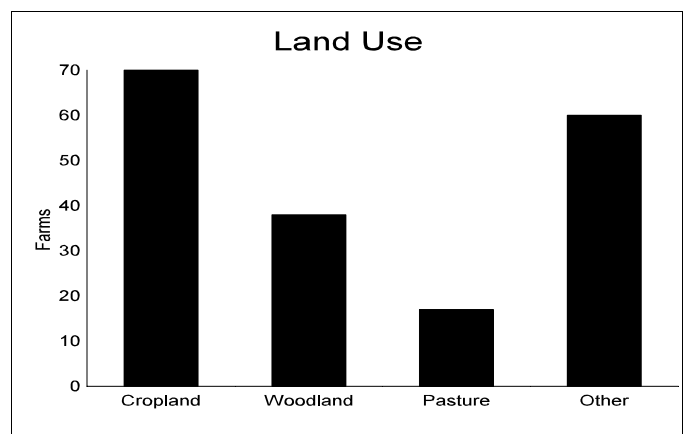
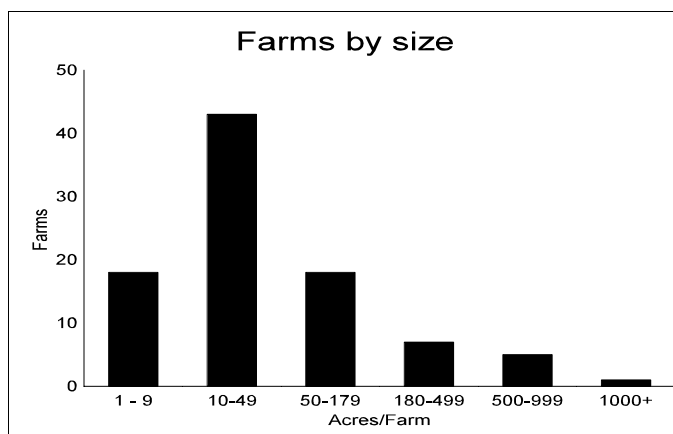
**Market Value of Production:** \$2,977,000

**Market Value of Production, average per farm:** \$32,359

**Government Payments:** \$144,000

**Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments:** \$7,217

**Gross Income from Farm Related Sources <sup>1</sup>: (D)**



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**Ranked items among the 110 house districts in the state, 2002**

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe <sup>2</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	2,977	69	101
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) <sup>3</sup></b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,451	49	83
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	(D)	74	78
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	27	65	73
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	201	79	93
Cut Christmas trees and other short rotation woody crops	29	49	67
Poultry and eggs	(D)	20	71
Cattle and calves	186	56	74
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	55	64
Hogs and pigs	(D)	35	69
Sheep, goats, and their products	5	58	69
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	(D)	44	77
Aquaculture	-	-	32
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	13	72
Hogs and pigs	(D)	36	68
Turkeys	800	12	62
Cattle and calves	479	61	76
Mink	(D)	3	4
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Corn for grain	3,191	53	74
Soybeans	2,981	49	76
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	678	64	87
All Wheat for grain	350	56	70
Corn for silage	135	54	65

**Other House District Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	39	Farming	37
\$1,000 to \$2,499	17	Other	55
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7	Male	80
\$20,000 to \$24,000	1	Female	12
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1		
\$40,000 to \$49,000	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	58
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	6	All operators <sup>4</sup> by race	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	White	136
\$500,000 or more	1	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	4,895	American Indian or Alaskan Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	47,524	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,592	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	15,459	All operators <sup>4</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	7

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup>Customwork, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

<sup>2</sup> Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

<sup>3</sup> Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

<sup>4</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.